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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Lightner and Clendennen

**Application No.** 10/539,213

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For: GENERATION OF PLANTS WITH

ALTERED OIL CONTENT

**Examiner:** Elizabeth F. McElwain

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated January 3, 2008, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was sent, making a response due on or before February 3, 2008. As February 3, 2008 falls on a Sunday, this response is timely filed on Monday, **February 4, 2008**. It is believed that no fee is necessary. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.

**Remarks** and a brief **Conclusion** are on page 2.

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